



JDC Junction Funding Application

Applications must be processed through a registered or associated charity, or able to provide a fiscal sponsor. We recommend that **before applying**, you **contact us** by email to Junction at junction@jdc.org or directly, if you have details, to a Junction staff member. This call will help us to better understand your vision and assess your eligibility, as well as providing you with some helpful tips to continue moving forward.

JDC Junction has one central question that serves at the core of the grant awarding decision-making process – does the project have a long-term strategic value with regards to increased meaningful “community” engagement and/or “leadership” development? As such, grants typically fall into two categories/areas:

- **“Community engagement”**

Community in the sense of local, regional, national, pan-European

- **“Leadership development”**

That being leaders of the young initiative itself and emerging leaders/professionals for the broader community institutions

Example of projects in these fields include:

- Eg: leadership training for a local organisation OR leadership training for the creation of a national leadership program
- E.g. projects for increased representation of smaller communities on the national level OR projects resulting in increased engagement within broader community life

About the Applicant & General Overview

Name of the organisation applying

(Original & English)

Name of person applying*(First Name, Last Name)***Role in the organisation****Email Address****Name of project/initiative****City/Country where project will take/takes place?****Is this a new or ongoing project?***If ongoing, for how long has it been ongoing?***Start date of current project cycle**

End date of current project cycle**Total budget (project cost)****Request grant amount***In USD (\$)***Justification for fund allocation***Why this amount and what does this funding go to specifically?*

Project Description

Needs Assessment, Goals/Project Results, Target Groups, & Methodology

Needs Assessment

What are the needs that the project seeks to answer? What opportunities or challenges does it address that are currently not being addressed or require improvement?

How would the project address this need(s)?

What background research or groundwork have you carried out to ensure the successful implementation of this project/opportunity? Please detail some concrete facts and figures where possible.

What are the benefits of this project for your organisation/or your young adult Jewish community?

Goals/Project Results

Please specify 2-5 specific and measurable goals/objectives of the project. (For each goal, please elaborate on where things currently stand, and where you hope to be post project.)

Target Group

Which target groups will benefit from the implementation of the project? (Consider age, gender, non-discrimination, plurality, role/position in community if applicable, etc.)

Why have you chosen to focus on them? Please describe how these target groups link to achieving the expected project goals.

Methodology

Please explain how you will implement the project (e.g. fundraising, communications, seminars, etc) and why this is the most suitable way to achieve the project's objectives.

Please detail a monthly implementation timeline.

What are the expected concrete results from the implementation of the project in the short, medium, and long term?

Organisational Relevance

Briefly describe/clarify your role in this project and why your organisation is the most relevant stakeholder in the project.

What is the structure of your project team?

List all team members, their roles in this programme, and their relevant experience.

Are you working with the local and/or national representative Jewish community body?

Please detail your current working relationship with them.

Are you working with any other organisations on this project?

If so, what is their role?

Monitoring, Evaluation, Reporting, and Learning (MERL), & Expected challenges/risks

How will you measure success? Please detail a rough outline for an evaluation timeline.

How are you documenting your learnings during the project?

What processes will be in place for future coordinators of this project?

What do you see as challenges to achieving your goals / the project itself? How would you respond to these?

What is your long-term strategy to ensure sustainability?

Where do you see this project in 5 years?

The Role of JDC Junction

An important element of implementation for all Junction grantees is guided support from the Junction team.

What role do you see JDC Junction playing in supporting you in your project (i.e. knowledge and skill gaps)?

Why is JDC Junction the right partner for your project?

JDC Junction encourages meaningful partnerships with each grantee. From the list below, what would a meaningful partnership look like to your organisation?

Select as many as you would like

- ☐ Monthly check-in
- ☐ Pre-project team training
- ☐ Content consultation
- ☐ Relationship building with representative community bodies
- ☐ Additional sources of funding
- ☐ Evaluation/follow-up methodology
- ☐ Other
